

[Jt. Res. No. 51, A.]

No. 61, 1925.

JOINT RESOLUTION

To amend section 1 of article VIII of the constitution, relating to taxation of forests and minerals and of forest and mineral lands.

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*Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring,* That section 1 of article VIII of the constitution be amended to read: (Article VIII) Section 1. The rule of taxation shall be uniform, and taxes shall be levied upon such property *with such classifications as to forests and minerals, including or separate or severed from the land,* as the legislature shall prescribe. Taxes may also be imposed on incomes, privileges and occupations, which taxes may be graduated and progressive, and reasonable exemptions may be provided.

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[Jt. Res. No. 100, A.]

No. 62, 1925.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Referring to the next legislature an amendment to section 1 of article VIII of the constitution, relating to the taxation of forests and minerals and of forest and mineral and forest lands.

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WHEREAS, A majority of the members elected to each of the two houses of the legislature have agreed to the following proposed amendment to section 1 of article VIII of the constitution: (Article VIII) Section 1. The rule of taxation shall be uniform, and taxes shall be levied upon such property *with such classifications as to forests and minerals, including or separate or severed from the land,* as the legislature shall prescribe. Taxes may also be imposed on incomes, privileges and occupations, which taxes may be graduated and progressive, and reasonable exemptions may be provided; be it

*Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring,* That this proposed amendment be referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election, and that the same be published three months previous to the time of holding such election.

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[Jt. Res. No. 74, S.]

No. 63, 1925.

### JOINT RESOLUTION

Directing the secretary of state to place the question submitted to the people by this legislature in Joint Resolution No. 42, S., upon the official referendum ballot to be used in the general election in November 1926, in compliance with section 6.68 of the statutes.

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WHEREAS, Section 6.68 of the statutes provides that, "Whenever any constitutional amendment shall have been submitted to the people, or any other question or proposition shall be submitted by the legislature to a vote of the people, the votes for and against such amendment, question or proposition shall be taken, canvassed, certified and recorded, and certified copies of the statement thereof shall be made and transmitted by each county clerk to the secretary of state in the manner the votes for state officers are to be taken, canvassed, certified and recorded and statements thereof are to be certified and transmitted." And

WHEREAS, Section 1 of article IV of the state constitution provides that "the legislative power shall be vested in a senate and assembly"; and

WHEREAS, Both the senate and assembly in Joint Resolution No. 42, S., have submitted the following question to a vote of the people at the general election to be held in November 1926: "Shall the Congress of the United States amend the 'Volstead Act' so as to authorize the manufacture and sale of beer for beverage purposes, of an alcoholic percentage of 2.75 per cent by weight, under government supervision but with the provision that no beverage so purchased shall be drunk on the premises where obtained?" Now, therefore, be it